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PROTOTYPE ISSUE 2

# SPIRITUAL DARWINISM:

## An Often-Overlooked Problem

**Plus: The USA @ 250 & other assorted topics**

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# SPIRITUAL DARWINISM:

## An Often-Overlooked Problem

**""TM Spiritual Darwinism" leads to a dehumanizing attitude among serious TM practitioners towards those who crash and burn as a result of following Mahesh's teachings. TM advocates usually display a shockingly callous lack of concern about those who experience difficulties after beginning TM practice.**

**Where do these attitudes arise? From Mahesh himself. The whole attitude of "Spiritual Darwinism", including the common lack of concern and compassion for those who crash and burn, reflects Mahesh's own personal attitude."**
- Joseph W. Kellett, "The TM Doctrine of Spiritual Darwinism -- there is something wrong with *you*!", https://www.suggestibility.org/spiritualDarwinism.shtml

**"Social Darwinism, also known as social Spencerism, is a body of pseudoscientific theories and societal practices that claim to apply biological concepts of natural selection and survival of the fittest to sociology, economics, and politics."**
- from the Wikipedia entry on Social Darwinism, https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Social_Darwinism

**"Christian Scientists have a lack of humanity, sympathy, empathy—whatever you want to call it—in the face of death. It's downright weird. ...**

**I had a grandmother ... She had lost a little boy when he was six. She would tell me how he died, and how he went to heaven, and how she wasn't worried because she knew she would join him some day, and she would rejoice when she did. ...**

**My mother ... told me that it was our fault that my father died because we let him out of our 'experience.'"**

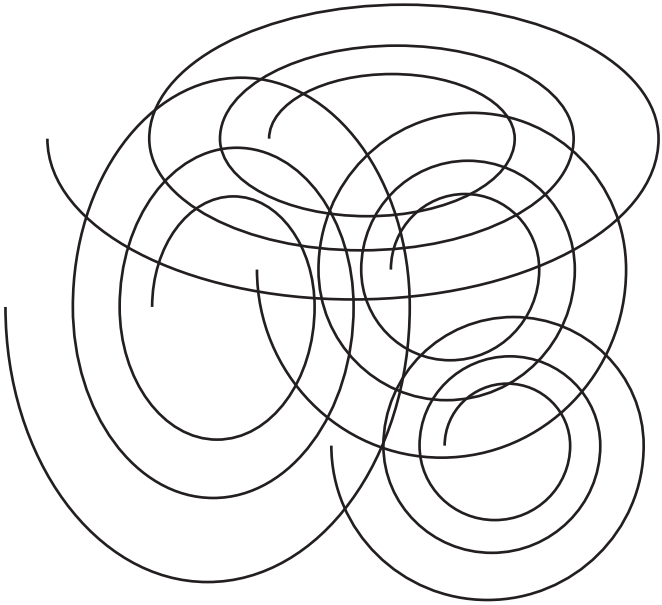
- Sharon, "It was our fault that my father died because we let him out of our 'experience.'", https://exchristianscience.com/2015/12/09/it-was-our-fault-that-my-father-died-because-we-let-him-out-of-our-experience/

**"A disturbing denial or avoidance syndrome, and even outright lies and deception, are used to cover-up or sanitize the dangerous reality on campus of very serious nervous breakdowns, episodes of dangerous and bizarre behavior, suicidal and homicidal ideation, threats and attempts, psychotic episodes, crime, depression and manic behavior that often accompanied roundings (intensive group meditations with brainwashing techniques). Euphemisms are employed to describe essentially dangerous, unstable and injurious behavior. "Unstressing," for example, "Baking" is another."**

- Anthony D. DeNaro, as quoted in "Surprise! Unpleasant, even dangerous, things can result from TM practice" by Joseph W. Kellett, https://www.suggestibility.org/surprise.php#denaro

**"For those who didn’t experience “demonstrations,” guilt, depression, and angst often resulted because at its core, Christian Science teaches that its system is flawless; if it didn’t work, it was because your understanding was limited. This is a hallmark of high control groups: the system isn’t flawed, the individual practicing the system is flawed."**

Lauren Hunter, "Elitism and Religious Superiority in Christian Science", The Ex-Christian Scientist, https://exchristianscience.com/2021/07/06/elitism-and-religious-superiority-in-christian-science/



# SOME QUESTIONS

How does Spiritual Darwinism impact our experiences?

How are Spiritual and Social Darwinism related? How do they both contribute to the onslaughts we face?

Where and/or when have we experienced Spiritual and/or Social Darwinism ourselves? How did that impact us?

Is it acceptable to leave Social and Spiritual Darwinism unchecked? Or is it unacceptable, and we need to be taking corrective action?

Where else have we noticed the patterns of Social and/or Spiritual Darwinism?

What could be some healthier choices than Social and Spiritual Darwinism?

What should be done about those who will not give up their use of and/or support for Social and/or Spiritual Darwinism?

**"Today all the scientific evidence we have is telling us that we are in the middle of the sixth mass extinction on this planet. This extinction event is the direct result of several thousand years of powered-up empire building endeavours, and especially of the last 500 years of modern colonialism and neo colonialism, including 200 years of industrialised empire building."**

– Jorn Bettin, "Nurturing ecologies of care, healing, and wellbeing", *Autistic Collaboration*, https://autcollab.org/2023/11/20/nurturing-ecologies-of-care-healing-and-wellbeing/

"The fall of Rome has an identical mechanism to Project 2025. Same sequence. Same logic Same result."

Ali McForever, "How Empires End," https://alimcforever.substack.com/p/how-empires-end

**"Cultural appropriation is the adoption of an element or elements of culture or identity by members of another culture or identity in a manner perceived as inappropriate or unacknowledged. Charges of cultural appropriation typically arise when members of a dominant culture borrow from minority cultures. Cultural appropriation can include the adoption of another culture's religious and cultural traditions, customs, dance steps, fashion, symbols, language, history and music."**

*-- from Wikipedia page on cultural appropriation, https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cultural_appropriation*

## "The United States Constitution is 237 years old, but the document it plagiarises is over 800 years old.

## The Great Law of Peace is the founding constitution of the Haudenosaunee Confederacy."

**Ali McForever, "Haudenosaunee Confederacy", https://alimcforever.substack.com/p/haudenosaunee-confederacy (paid, and worth it)**

# SOME QUESTIONS

**Is it still acceptable to celebrate the 4th of July after finding out the truth about the establishment of the United States?**

**In what other ways have we been tricked into support, celebrating, normalizing, etc., harmful ways, means, systems, structures, language, behaviors, etc. To what extent do these troublesome ways still continue?**

**Are we willing to become humble enough to learn whatever it is we need to learn, and unlearn whatever it is we need to unlearn?**

**Are we willing to ask for help when we need help? Do we know where to turn?**

**What other things are harmful, but we might have been miseducated into framing them otherwise?**

**What other things are claimed as "United States Originals," but in reality, are NOT?**

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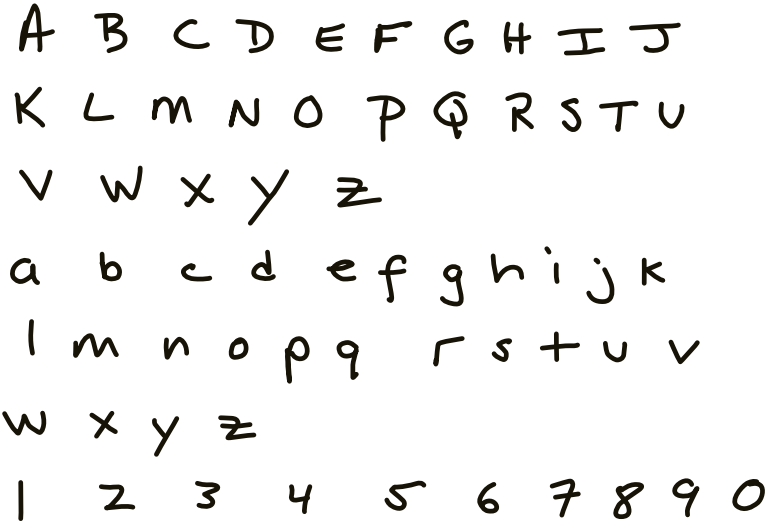
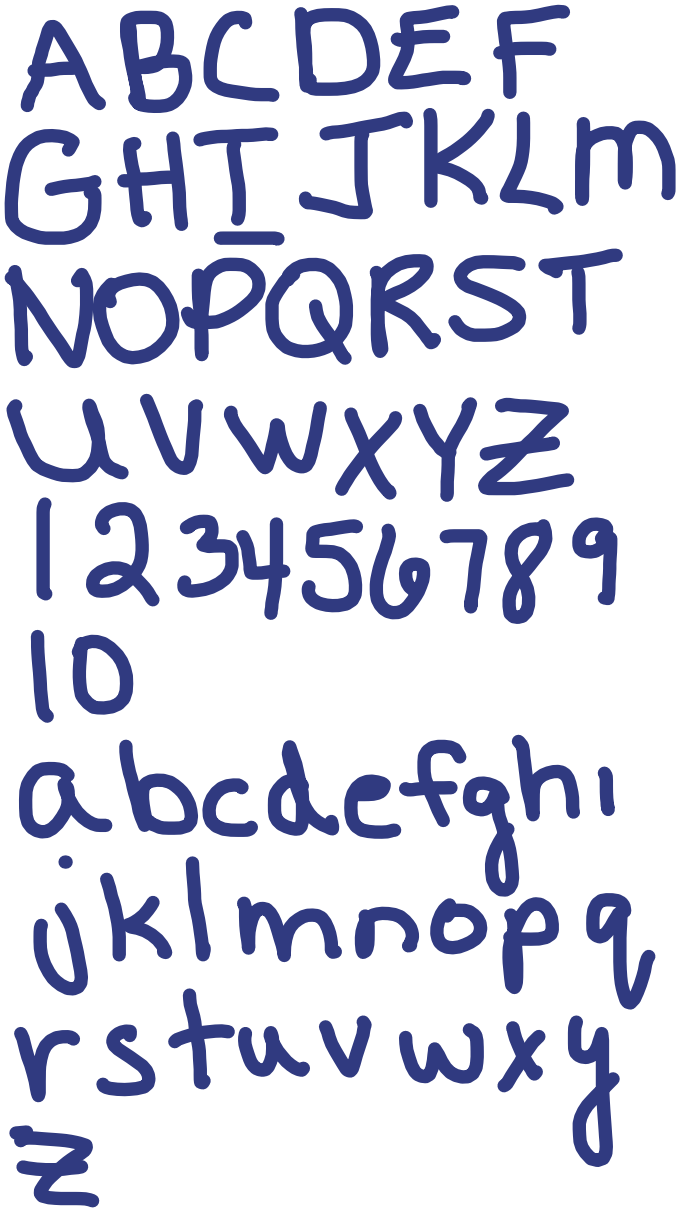
## Handwriting Samples: Part 2




*Trace-in of handwriting sample given to me by my Earth Science teacher I had in high school.*

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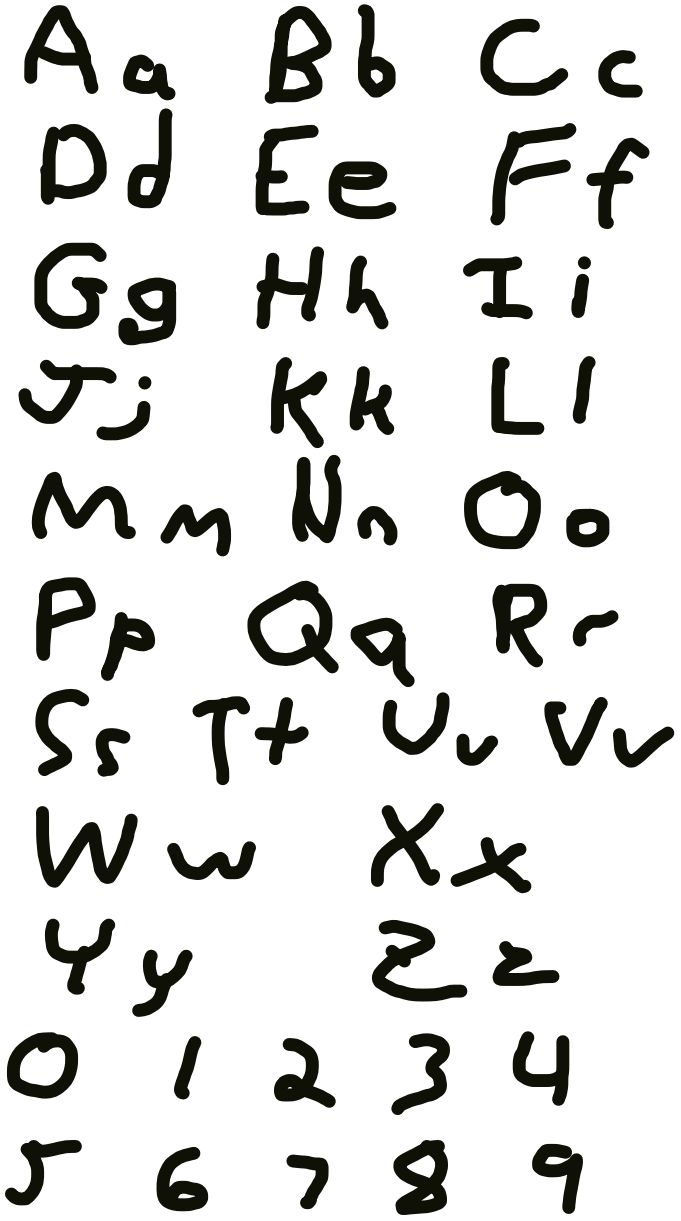


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*More Stuff I Like*

# Dream Logos

**(with credits & apologies to those whose works I feature here)**

## What are dream logos?

**Dream logos are fictional logos.**

**They can range from logos for completely made-up companies, to logos for fictional versions of things actually found in our culture.**

## Are there any places that feature dream logos?

**Dream Logo Wiki is one: https://dreamlogos.fandom.com/**

**There are others, as well.**

# Does Stimming Jim have any favorite dream logos made by others?

**Yes. Many. I'll list just some of them.**

## United World Network/UWN (CubenRocks/UWM Graphics)

Credit & apologies to: CubenRocks/UWM Graphics, https://dreamlogos.fandom.com/wiki/UWN#1960-2007

# WNAY-TV, Channel 25 (Matty R. Logos & Goikanlogo2380)

Credit & apologies to: Matty R. Logos & Goikanlogo2380, https://dreamlogos.fandom.com/wiki/WNAY-TV#1982-1986

# KHLA-TV, Channel 5 (Matty R. Logos)

Credit & apologies to: Matty R. Logos, https://dreamlogos.fandom.com/wiki/KHLA-TV#1987-1996

# KNHH, Channel 11 (Matty R. Logos)

Credit & apologies to: Matty R. Logos, https://dreamlogos.fandom.com/wiki/KNHH#1983-2004

# WOT–TV/WPQT–TV, Channel 6 (Matty R. Logos)

Credit & apologies to: Matty R. Logos, https://dreamlogos.fandom.com/wiki/WPQT-TV#1980-1986

## WSEB-TV, Channel 4 (Matty R. Logos)

Credit & apologies to: Matty R. Logos, https://dreamlogos.fandom.com/wiki/WSEB-TV#1982-2001

## KLCT, Channel 5 (Matty R. Logos)

Credit & apologies to: Matty R. Logos, https://dreamlogos.fandom.com/wiki/KLCT#1976-2003

# WLHV-TV, Channel 18 (Matty R. Logos & Goikanlogo2380)

Credit & apologies to: Matty R. Logos & Goikanlogo2380, https://dreamlogos.fandom.com/wiki/WLHV-TV#1995-2016

# WANNA GET WISE?

**Here are some useful resources to check out:**

## Stimpunks Foundation

**"Mutual Aid and Human-Centered Learning for Neurodivergent and Disabled People"**

## https://stimpunks.org/

## Ali McForever (on Substack)

**"Investigative, Evidence-Led Explainers on Power and History, Built in Plain English from Primary Documents" (and worth the subscription, in Stimming Jim's opinion)**

## https://alimcforever.substack.com/

# Dream Logos Wiki

**"A brand new world..."**

**Plenty of fascinating stuff, and can be useful for learning about (a slice of) neurodivergent and disabled culture**

**https://dreamlogos.fandom.com/**

# The Ex-Christian Scientist

**A community of ex-Christian Scientists who try their best to help those questioning, leaving, or have left Christian Science.**

**https://exchristianscience.com/**

# Autistic Collaboration

**"...an intersectional community that welcomes all individuals and groups who fully appreciate the value of neurodiversity."**

**https://autcollab.org/**

# aRemedy

**"Why and how We The People—and ONLY we—can fix the crisis and create a better civilization."**

**https://aremedy.org/**

# Local Futures

**"Promoting Localization Globally"**

**https://www.localfutures.org/**

# Democratizing Work

**"Democratize Work.**

**Decommodify Lab."**

**Decarbonize the Planet."**

**https://democratizingwork.org/**

# Get Wise Project

## Resources and support for those with pyschological damage from their background in Christian Science.

**https://ffcsministry.org/get-wise-project/**